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STATE FOR EAP/MLS, L/EAP, L/PM, PM/ISO, INR AND DRL  
PACOM FOR FPA CHRISTY, JIATF/WEST FOR COMMANDER BUSCH

E.O. 12958: N/A

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SUBJECT: THAILAND EMBASSY/STATE DEPARTMENT HUMAN RIGHTS  
VETTING FOR: JUSMAG - COURSES: SPECIALIZED ENGLISH LANGUAGE  
TRAINING, LACKLAND AFB, TEXAS AND NAVAL STAFF COLLEGE, NAVAL STAFF  
COLLEGE, RI, NOVEMBER 04, 2009 - JANUARY 08, 2010

REF: A. JUSMAG MEMO DATED October 02, 2009

[1](#)B. 05 STATE 021314 - GUIDANCE

[1](#)C. 03 STATE 34981 - GUIDANCE

[1](#)1. (U) This is an action request for human rights verification  
required by the Leahy Amendment; see Para. 2.

[1](#)2. (U) JUSMAG Bangkok has requested that the Embassy/State  
Department complete human rights vetting request for the individual  
below, who has been selected to attend the below-mentioned courses.  
Embassy Bangkok possesses no credible information at this time of  
gross violations of human rights by this person. Embassy Bangkok  
Political Officer, Gillian R. Apfel, is the verifying officer for  
the Embassy/Department of State.

Courses: Specialized English Language Training, Lackland AFB, Texas  
and Naval Staff College, Naval Staff College, RI, November 04, 2009  
- January 08, 2010. JUSMAG is the funding agency.

Participant:

Name: Bangchong Natewong  
DPOB: June 29, 1977; Ubon Ratchathani, Thailand  
Title/Rank: Lieutenant  
Unit: Frigate Squadron One, Royal Thai Fleet.

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